ndean Condor

 The Andean Condor is the official animal of Chile. These condors are massive birds and are the largest in world to be able to fly. They have the largest wingspan than any other bird. They weigh up to 33 pounds, the size of their bodies is 4 feet, and their wingspan is up to 10 feet. Even with these large wings, they still need help to fly since they are so heavy and that is why they prefer to live in windy areas so they can glide in the wind currents. In Chile, they live between Arica to Cape Horn and their habitat is in the mountains which you can tell by its name. Their necks are a dirty flesh pink with a white collar and their heads are bald as like the California condor. Males, however, have a large bare crest on the forehead. The body, tail, and wings are black with a large white patch in the upperwing. Laying only one chick every other year, these birds are endangered and are in care of breeding programs.

Picture of an Andean Condor